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TELEGRAPHIC.

WINNIPEG, July 27.

Wheat is still dropping in price. Judge Patterson of the Supreme Court is dead.

Dr. Rae the celebrated Arctic traveller is dead.

The industrial exhibition receipts were \$9,000.

Father Masonneuve was killed on the railway track yesterday.

France has commenced the blockade of Siam and war seems inevitable.

A man named Lowther was killed by lightning at Russell, Manitoba, last night.

Revolutionists have bombarded the city of Nicaragua, many people have been killed.

There is a big panic in stocks in New York owing to continued failure of banks and business houses.

The Northern Pacific and Canadian Pacific railways are discharging many of their employees.

Mrs. Mary Black, living near Buffalo, killed her child and cut her own throat because she feared the infant would die.

Young Hill of Virden has been sent up to trial for poisoning Greaves some weeks ago. Poison was found in Greaves' stomach.

Riley and Leblanc have been committed for trial in Winnipeg for the murder of John Wilson. They made a partial confession.

Duncan Macarthur of the Commercial bank has been brought up on a charge of sending incorrect returns to the government. He was admitted to bail.

News has been received at Hong Kong that the steamer Siagon loaded with kerosene, and which sailed on June 29th for Manila and Manilla was destroyed by fire. Out of 250 people on board only 29 were saved.

LOCAL.

P. PRUDEN, trader, left for Winnipeg on Tuesday's train.

Jas. F. Elliott of the White Mud creek near Leduc has wheat four feet eight inches high.

A raft of lumber for Moore & Macdowell arrived this week from the mills up the river.

John Cameron, merchant, left for Calgary on Tuesday on a business trip, to return on Thursday.

HARRY DIX, representing the American associated press, arrived on Monday's train, on a corresponding tour through the Northwest.

H. S. YOUNG left for Fort Chipewyan to-day, to take charge of P. Pruden's trading post there during the coming winter.

The sale of hay privileges on the unsold portions of the South Side Indian reserve will take place on Saturday, August 5th, at the Hotel Edmonton.

H. H. SMITH, Dominion immigrant agent in Nebraska, arrived at Lacombe station on Monday's train on his way to Edmonton with eighteen Nebraska delegates.

J. H. HAYES and Jas. Coventry of Schuyler, Nebraska, arrived on Monday's train, having accompanied H. H. Smith's party of Nebraska delegates to Lacombe station.

A TEST of the holding power of cut wire has shown that the holding power of the cut wire was from 47 to 80 per cent stronger than that of the wire nails.

A PRINCESS Vera tea rose was in full bloom in the BULLETTIN garden last week. This is a house plant, but is sufficiently hardy for out door growth in summer.

R. WIST and family left on Tuesday's train for Wetaskiwin. He has made arrangements to open a general store at the bridge on Battle river in the Selkirk settlement.

R. E. HOLBROOK, teacher of Glenmore public school south of Calgary, arrived on Monday's train from Battle river to spend a part of his holidays in the Edmonton district.

O. S. MOORE, editor of the Merchant and Farmer of Norfolk, Nebraska, and correspondent of the Minneapolis Tribune, accompanied by Mrs. Moore and daughter arrived on Monday's train.

THOS. KERN, a former H. B. Company man, who has resided at Edmonton for some years, left for the north on Wednesday with R. Secord's party, to engage in trapping on the Mackenzie river during the coming winter.

G. CASAULT of Leduc sends samples of wheat, oats and barley grown in that vicinity, all well headed out. The two rowed barley is 4 feet, 8 inches in length, the wheat 4 feet, 6 inches, the oats 4 feet, 5 inches and the single rowed barley 4 feet.

R. T. ROKEBY, who was the immediate cause of the wreck of the Commercial bank, has skipped from Manitoba, to avoid arrest on a charge of falsifying the returns made by the bank to the government during the time when he was assistant manager.

MONDAY's train was delayed near Olds by the flange of one of the wheels of the passenger coach becoming cracked so as to be dangerous. The coach was sidetracked and the passengers crowded into the baggage car, or as many as could find room there. Others found accommodation in Fraser & Co.'s new steamer which was being brought up loaded on two flat cars.

REV. Father Grandin of Lac la Biche was in Ottawa on July 20th on his way home from Rome and France. He interviewed the fisheries department regarding the rights of the half breeds of Lac la Biche to catch whitefish in the lake, they having been prohibited by the fisheries inspector from fishing without a license. Father Grandin asks that they be allowed to fish free of license for their own use.

S. PARNELL is erecting a new building adjoining his present building, opposite the Hotel Edmonton, South Edmonton. The building will be 35x50, two and a half stories high, with basement, and will have a tin roof. The west wall will be of solid brick, thirteen inches thick. The front and rear walls will be brick veneer. The east wall is provided by the building at present occupied by H. Wilson as store and post office and by Wilkie & Dickson as a store.

Mrs. W. L. Wood left for the Landing to-day.

The roller mill, South Edmonton, started work on Wednesday.

CRICKET match on Saturday, Fort Saskatchewan vs. Edmonton.

J. F. BURNETT, chief veterinary surgeon of the mounted police, arrived from Regina on Monday's train and went to Fort Saskatchewan on Tuesday.

FEASER & CO.'s steam tug arrived on Monday's train. It was all set up and occupied two flat cars. It is now being removed on skids to the river.

DR. MCKAY, who is in charge of the B. Company district of Athabasca, arrived from the Landing and Fort Chipewyan on Tuesday. He goes east on Friday's train.

THE three plank sidewalk has been laid along Namayo avenue and First street, by the contractors A. Brown and R. B. Nutt. This is a cheap sidewalk, and while not highly ornamental is in the highest degree useful in muddy weather.

GEA. LEARY, of Pembina Mountain, Manitoba, who has been appointed immigration agent to Ireland by the Dominion government, arrived on Monday's train with a view of acquiring information regarding the Edmonson district for use in his work in Ireland. He visited St. Albert on Tuesday, in company with F. Marriagi, of the Alberta, and Fort Saskatchewan, on Wednesday.

A. M. CAMPBELL, principal of the Edmonton public school, returned on Monday's train from Regina, where he had been assisting in the examinations of the papers of candidates who had written for first and second class school certificates. The results of the examinations had not been made public when Mr. Campbell left. The weather was very hot in Regina, the thermometer rising to 90 in the shade.

MISS MARTINE VOYER, Fashionable Dress and Mantle Maker. Just arrived from Boston. Will teach L. F. Wise system of Square Cuttings, two evenings a week. Jas. M. McLaren, Real Estate Agent.

T. B. HENDERSON, who left Edmonton for Wetaskiwin last year, has decided to return to Edmonton and will shortly open a tailoring business in his old stand, corner of First street, H. B. property and Jasper Avenue.

ALBERT PROUDLOVE of Waterloo, Ont., returned from a trip around the Beaver Lake country, in company with Mr. Miller of Victoria, Ont., and a prospector from Minnesota. The party were piloted by Henry Quebec of Beaver Hills. Mr. Proudlove is well pleased with the country, and intends to settle.

J. B. BEBBEE late of Fairfield, Washington, and now of Egg lake south of Victoria, returned from a visit to Washington a couple of weeks ago, leaving the railway at Wetaskiwin for his home. Several car loads of effects arrived at Edmonton for him, and yesterday passed through town on teams on the way to Egg lake.

J. G. MCLEAREN, G. M. McLaren, C. H. McLaren and D. McGillivray, A. C. Burgess, and J. T. Fotheringham, left on Tuesday for Prince Albert in two Peterborough canoes. At Prince Albert they will hire a guide to take them to the mouth of the river in Lake Winnipeg. Thence they will take steamer to Selkirk, and return home to Ontario by way of Chicago, taking in the exhibition.

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PUBLIC MEETING.

The public meeting held in the council chamber on Monday evening to hear the report of the Mayor on his recent visit to Ottawa to discuss the electric railway project was fairly well attended. Councillor McDougall was chairman and A. G. Randall secretary.

Mr. McCauley made a full and careful statement regarding the object of the delegation, consisting of Mayor Lucas of Calgary, Mayor Bentley of Lethbridge, himself and D. W. Davis, M.P. The delegation had been well received in Ottawa by Hon. T. M. Daly, minister of interior and Clark Wallace, comptroller of customs, who seemed anxious to do everything possible to advance their views. The first subject dealt with was the discrimination in the immigrant rates given to parties coming from east and west of the Rocky mountains respectively. The C. P. R. had agreed to give a rate of a cent a mile to immigrants from the States to and from all points on its lines up to the end of April. They afterwards withdrew from that agreement on the ground that the short haul from the States west of the Mountains and the greater operating expenses of their road through the mountains rendered it necessary that they should charge the higher rate. Mr. Daly had written to Mr. McNicoll of the C. P. R. on the matter. The speaker believed it was the intention of the government to refund the difference between the two cents charged and the one cent promised to all who held a cent a mile certificate. In the matter of the quarantine of settlers' cattle, the minister had promised that these cattle would be delivered at their destination by the police, but at least one member of the family to whom the cattle belonged would have to accompany them. The delegates had objected to the withdrawal of government immigration agents from the western States. All would agree that the very best settlers we were getting were those coming from the States west of the mountains. The minister conceded that immigration in Washington, Idaho and Oregon should be more strongly pushed than it had been and promised to send agents there. The members of the delegation from the south were interested in irrigation. They asked that as the government owned the alternate sections irrigation ditches be put through those lands at government expense. Or that if the ditches were entirely dug by private companies that the government pay in land for the work done on reserved government land. He thought that the minister did not seem strongly impressed with the necessity of irrigation when there was still abundance of good land open for homesteading that did not need irrigation. The customs regulations had been amended to permit the free importation of one head of cattle or horses for every ten acres of government land taken up, and one sheep or pig for every acre taken. The minister of interior promised that the grounds of complaint regarding the actions of the customs department would be rectified. He had paid particular attention to the matter of a bridge at Edmonton and had pointed out that bridges had been built at many other places in the Northwest, of less importance than Edmonton and where there was far less business. The bridge at Battleford had cost \$38,000 and he was satisfied that more freight crossed the river at Edmonton in a week than crossed the Battleford bridge in a year. The minister had definitely promised the first money to be spent on public works in the Northwest would be spent in a bridge at Edmonton. Besides the ministers he had met Messrs. W. Pearce, inspector of mines, J. McD. Gordon, inspector of land agencies, Hayter Reid, Indian commissioner and other prominent officials. He had spoken to these gentle men about the manner in which they had used their positions for discriminating against Edmonton in favor of South Edmonton. This they all denied, but in the presence of the minister of interior he stated instances which they could not deny. The minister did not know of these discriminations and would not permit them in future. The delegation had been treated well in Ottawa. They had dined first with Lieutenant-governor Schultz of Manitoba, and then with the minister of interior. They had found the ministers who were in Ottawa at the time ready and willing to see and hear them. On the part of the public works, Ives of the mounted police, Daly of the interior and Burgess deputy minister of the interior would all visit Ed-

monton shortly to see for themselves. After the conclusion of the business in Ottawa he went to Hamilton to consult with the Hamilton Bridge company with a view to finding out the cost of a bridge at Edmonton. Mr. Daly had promised him the plans and specifications of the proposed bridge at Edmonton, but owing to a mistake he had not received them, so he was not in a position to find out exactly what the bridge would cost. He found the bridge company competent to do the work, apparently at a reasonable rate and on easy terms. The delegation had interviewed L. A. Hamilton of the C. P. R. in Winnipeg and found him very obliging. He had given the members of the party a pass to Ottawa and return and besides a pass over the C. P. R. whenever they wanted to travel. Regarding the electric railway: He had received a letter on the subject from a public meeting here and had acted upon it. Of course not being in a position to actually do business he could not get the closest figures, but had got a good general idea of the cost and working of the electric system. He visited the factory in Ottawa where electric cars are made, and met one of the St. Catharines manufacturing firms. Stock in the Ottawa electric railway company was quoted at something over 200; in Hamilton the company pays the town a bonus; in Toronto the electric railway stock pays the best in the city; in Winnipeg it pays well. He had seen Messrs. Ross and Campbell of different electric railway systems, in Winnipeg, and had secured a large amount of information from them. He had no doubt that an electric railway could be operated successfully between the town and station over grades no better than those now in use. There was no doubt that the cars could be run across the river on a ferry. The cost of the road and rolling stock was given to him as about \$8,000 a mile exclusive of grading. He had met many people who were ready to take stock in the railway. He thought it would be wise to form a company to construct the railway and he would support the town bearing part of the expense. He was not in favor of the town taking hold of it. It would be better to grant a charter to a company for ten or fifteen years. Except for possible delays in spring and fall while using the ferry he considered that an electric railway would be equal to a station in town. At Port Arthur the people are well satisfied with the electric railway. For a four mile ride the fare is 5 cents. In Ottawa it is 5 cents for six miles. The cars would run on any grade on which the wheels would stick to the rails. People in the east thought there would be a large town somewhere in this vicinity. He considered the site of Edmonton as a town was unexcelled in Canada. It depended on the people here to turn the advantages of their situation to account.

N. D. Beck said that he thought it advisable to secure legislation at once to enable the electric railway to be proceeded with. He would suggest that legislation should be prepared that would permit of the railway being handled either by a company or by the town. The general feeling in the east seemed to be in favor of control by a company, rather than the town. The interests of the town could be protected by legislation. The Ontario law provided that after a certain period the town could buy out the railway at the end of each term of five years. He moved in effect that the town council take the necessary steps to obtain legislation for the establishment of an electric railway system in Edmonton and vicinity, one branch of which should be to the railway station, and providing for the operation of the system by the municipality or by a company as should be afterwards decided.

D. Ross seconded the motion.

S. S. Taylor said that there was no room for discussion as to the advisability of having the road. The only point to be discussed was as to its control. In his opinion the only corporation to control the electric railway was the corporation of the town of Edmonton. If the electric railways paid they made their money out of someone. In this case the profits to be made would come directly out of the pockets of the citizens of Edmonton. The greater the profit to the company the greater the cost to the town. The profits of the company would represent the disadvantage under which we labored as compared with the South side of the river. If the town owned the road this disadvantage could be reduced to a minimum by the profits being distributed in the shape of reduced rates of fare. The fact that a principle was introduced in the general legislation of the province of Ontario—as Mr. Beck had pointed out—that permitted the towns to acquire their electric railways showed that the trend of public opinion there was rather in favor of municipal than of company control. The special feature which compelled Port

Arthur to own the electric railway to Fort William existed here, and he knew of no other town in Canada in a similar position, having the electric railway was the life-giving stream of the town and should be under town control. At the same time legislation should provide for control by a company as well as by the town in case of unforeseen circumstances arising to prevent control by the town.

E. C. Emery said he partly agreed with Mr. Taylor as to the importance of the point being considered. The question appeared to him to be "Is the town in a position to undertake the scheme?" If so the road should be constructed at once. If the town was unable to undertake it, legislation to enable a company to deal with it would be necessary and that legislation should provide fair rates and that the town should have the privilege of acquiring the road hereafter. Of course no company would put money into it unless they could see some chance of profit.

F. Oliver said there could be very little doubt as to the ability of the town to build the road. By furnishing a portion of the cost directly from the town the road itself could be bonded for a portion of its cost so that the town would not have to furnish security for more than half or two thirds of the cost. While appreciating fully the advantages of the electric railway there were two points in which direct connection with the C. P. R. would be more advantageous. One of these was that there would be no transhipment of freight, and the other was that the railway company would have a direct interest in the town. He would like to see the C. P. R. company approached with a business offer to bring the railway into town, while at the same time taking means to secure the construction of the electric railway if a suitable bargain could not be made with the C. P. R. As to the question of control of the electric road by the town or by a company he thought Mr. Taylor had shown very clearly that if the town could handle it the C. P. R. if we could do so. He was in favor of the C. P. R. if we could get it; if not then the electric railway controlled by the town, and if the town could not control it then the electric railway anyhow.

The chairman said there was no doubt as to the financial ability of the town to handle the scheme. He had no doubt that before the electric railway could be built there would be a bridge across the river, so that there would be no delays on account of the ferry.

Mr. Beck said the company's profits could be kept within bounds by legislation. He was willing that the question of control by the town or by a company should be left open until after the necessary legislation had been secured. He favored approaching the C. P. R. on the question of direct connection.

The secretary said that it was understood the railway was to be extended to Peace river. In case the electric railway was built and the Calgary & Edmonton railway was afterwards extended across the river a large part of the plant of the electric railway would be useless.

S. S. Taylor said it could be removed for use elsewhere at a comparatively small cost.

J. H. Picard said it would be needed in any case to give more frequent communication across the river than the railway would provide.

Mr. Beck's motion was put and carried unanimously.

F. Oliver moved seconded by James McDonald that the town council be authorized to communicate with the C. P. R. with a view of finding out upon what terms the company would extend the railway to a point within the town limits, or as near thereto as may be. Carried unanimously.

The meeting then adjourned.

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Messrs. Fred White, comptroller, and L. W. Hirschmer, commissioner of the Northwest mounted police, and E. Deville, surveyor general, and J. S. Dennis, chief inspector of surveys, paid our town a visit last week, and seemed pleased with the appearance of the country.

It is supposed that Northern Alberta will be visited within the next two months by a number of the Cabinet Ministers, (in addition to Hon. Mr. Daly, minister of the interior, who is expected on 31st instant) and also by Hon. Wilfred Laurier, the well known leader of the liberal party. Too much attention can hardly be shown either prominent members of the conservative, or liberal parties, on their visit to the North, as both sides of politics want considerable enlightenment on their Northwest policy. We want population, and to get it, must have railway branches built. Immigration schemes are useless, as people will not settle without knowing when and where their market is to be. To its cost, Northern Alberta knows more about this question than any other portion of the whole Dominion. All its good railway land taken from it, and not one mile of construction by the C. P. Ry. although it has now had possession of the enormous land grant for the past 4 years—the country being retarded from settlement—and no direct market for its produce. The Calgary and Edmonton railway charges 5 cents a mile for passengers, and an equally heavy tariff for freight, and yet we people of Northern Alberta are supposed to be quiet and bear the burden in a meek and lowly spirit. We are not satisfied, nor have we any reason to be. We want some adequate return for all our railway land, or else let the land be returned so that we can try and make some use of it.

Mr. Minnie is remodelling the old Queen's hotel, and purposes putting an addition to it.

John Mewhort, of this place, has as fine a field of wheat as the writer ever saw anywhere, and it is worthy of inspection should any of the "BULLETIN'S" readers be up this way.

24th, July 1893.

IMPRESSIONS OF THE NORTH.

J. Hewitt, school inspector, has a letter in the Moosomin Spectator giving his impressions of Edmonton and district gathered during his recent visit.

Edmonton is a pleasant, pretty town, beautifully situated on the north bank of Saskatchewan, a river of about 600 feet in width, winding about in a valley of from two to three miles in width. Fully three-quarters of the town site is or was covered with timber, consisting chiefly of small poplar. The slope of the northern bank conforms to the general rule of the country in being almost destitute of trees, and this increases the general beauty of the view. Handsome houses and grounds continually come into view, snugly hidden away among the trees, and houses too showing some architectural design, the result no doubt of having a good resident architect. The old fort, about a mile to the west of the present centre is rapidly losing the quaintness and antiquity common to those old trading stations; but much yet remains to interest the curious. Two brass cannon, mounted on heavy, home made wheels, which are slowly and surely dropping to ruin and decay, ominously hold a position on the bank of the river in front of the fort, and from the stamp upon them were manufactured by T. T. King, London, 1810. The country about Edmonton might be described as a lake country. The soil is very rich and almost perfectly free from stone. One of the most beautiful spots among the many is St. Albert, the headquarters of the R. C. church and the residence of Bishop Grandin. The Saskatchewan river is known as one of the great gold bearing rivers of America. For sixty miles west and for several miles east of Edmonton, gold is found in the form of dust or minute particles, in short—alluvial gold. The particles have been washed out annually, but there is no diminution in quantity as after every freshet the gold is found on the bars as plentiful as ever. A number of men work at this business, making from \$2 to \$4 per day, and much speculation is rife as to where the gold comes from. Petroleum has been discovered about forty miles from Edmonton, and it may be interesting to your readers to learn that the discovery was made on the homestead of Roselick Jackquis (Struthers) formerly of this town. Great expectations are indulged in respecting this find. Coal abounds, and along the Saskatchewan it crops out here and there along its course. At Edmonton the cost of coal is simply the hauling it up the hill, and had the promoters of the electric light plant felt inclined they might have so placed their machinery as to shovel the coal from the hill into

the furnace. As it is, the residents of Edmonton have probably one of the best electric light services in the country. Everybody uses it, and I learned that the cost to the hotels, using a number of lights, was forty cents per month for each light of sixteen candle power.

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THURSDAY Noon, McLean's,

Night, P. McPherson's,

FRIEY Noon, W. Wellhouse, Plainfield.

Night, A. Brown's stable, Edmonton, where
he will remain until Monday morning.

TERMS: To insure a foal, \$15; for the season, \$12 to be
paid second to last round of horse; single leap, \$8, to
be paid at time of service.

Male horses must be returned regularly
to the horse or they will be charged insurance whether
in foal or not. Persons disposing of their mares
before foaling time must pay the insurance whether
in foal or not. No second price. All accidents at
owner's risk.

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